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THE BEST you can say of anything is that it turned out just what it was represented to be. It's a great thing to know exactly what you are getting when you buy anything. And it's frequently better to wait until you do know before you buy. People in this country bought drugs, paints, oils, varnishes and books years ago of Saur & Balsley and they continue to patronize their house, because they always find their purchases to be just what they represented them to be. That's about the whole secret of their unprecedented success, and they stick to their old motto.

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Visitors are always welcome at the store of Saur & Balsley, and obliging clerks ready to show you attention, whether you wish to purchase or not.

#### NOTICE.

There are still a large number of the subscribers for the Henry County News who have not called in and paid up the amount of their subscription due when the books were turned over to the Northwest. We hope these parties will make it convenient to call and fix up their accounts, so that the old subscription books of the News can be settled up.

Baby rings at Fisk's. 4t

#### CLOSED DOWN.

Notice is hereby given that our Mills will be closed down and that our respective places of business will be closed on New Year day.

H. H. & J. VOCKE.

J. KOLLER & CO.

We make you clothes that fit. Try it.

HENRY MEYER.

#### Holiday Rates 1894-1895.

Dec. 24th, 25th and 31st, 1894, and Jan. 1st, 1895, the Wabash R. R. will sell round trip tickets to any point on their line within a distance of 200 miles, at one and one-third. Tickets limited to return Jan. 2nd, '95.

Painless extracting by W. J. Pierpont, dentist. Bitzer block. 4t

#### Election of Officers.

The following officers were elected at the regular meeting of the A. O. U. W. on Tuesday evening last, for the ensuing term, and will be duly installed at the next regular meeting, the 2d Wednesday in January:

W. H. Kerman, P. M. W.; Adam Lightbourn, M. W.; W. R. Johnson, F. W. Knapp, E. W. P. Armstrong, E. W. Parker, E. L. H. Diehl, Rec. J. Miller, G. J. Stickley, I. W. D. Meekison, L. H. Diehl and Geo. Knapp, Trustees; W. H. Kerman, Rep.; Wm. Parker, Alt.

All goods below cost, at Kolbes.

#### Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which, if not cured, has an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Cure. Send for circulars free. F. C. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Ladies we have a very nice line of white goods in operas and sandals. M. REISER JR.

#### WONDERFUL SCENT.

A Sportsman Tells Some Marvelous Things About the Powers of a Setter Dog.

"The scenting power of a well-bred, well-trained setter dog is something beyond conception," said a sportsman to a reporter Friday, "and the marvelous exhibitions they give of this power can hardly be credited."

"Who would believe a dog going a good gallop, with a dead bird in his mouth, could scent a live bird on the ground several yards to one side of its course? And yet there are few sportsmen who have not seen a dog point a live bird with a dead bird in his mouth. It would seem as if the scent of the bird so near his nose would prevent the dog from scenting another bird of the same variety lying close in the grass several yards from him. A man with a bunch of roses in his face would not pretend he could smell of similar flowers a foot away. If he did, no one would believe him."

"Yet there is no doubt about the setter being able to smell and point live birds while he holds a dead bird in his mouth. He goes further than this. He points a dead bird on the ground with a dead bird in his mouth, and he knows the instant that he feels the scent that it is a dead bird. This fact he expresses in his manner of pointing, and if it is a wounded bird he knows that, too, and indicates the fact. Most dogs are taught to point a live bird, and not to point a dead bird. The dog will go at full speed right up to his dead bird and never pause a moment. If there is a live bird near he will point that stanchly, and the promptness and certainty of his decisions show that the instant he catches the scent he knows whether the bird is alive or dead. He makes a distinction, too, between a dead bird, a live bird and a wounded bird. He points the wounded bird differently from what he does the live bird, and usually springs in and catches it. What there is about a wounded bird's scent that he can recognize instantly is a puzzle to everyone who has thought of the question."

Gilbert clocks at Fisk's. Call and see them. 4t

#### For Sale.

Some nice wheat straw at 2 dollars per load delivered, or 75 cents per load at my place. 1 horse, 3 mules and 1 set of double harness, will sell cheap. 4t WM. SAMSE.

#### Lunch! Lunch!

Meals and lunch can be secured at all hours of the day and night at the boarding house of Fred. Yackee, Perry street, near the canal. Charges low. 4t

If you want to buy a sewing machine go to Norden & Bruns. They have the right prices. 4t

You can get a trimmed hat regardless of cost from now on at Mrs. Fries's. 4t

Mrs. A. E. Mann has removed her dress making rooms to Mrs. Harriet Cary's for mer residence on schoolhouse street. 4t

For your pure drugs and wall paper you should call on F. H. Voigt, of Holgate. All goods at lowest prices. 4t

### OF PUBLIC RECORD.

#### MATTERS OF INTEREST ON RECORD IN THE COURT HOUSE.

Real Estate Transfers, Marriage Licenses, Probate Court News, Ditch Sales, etc., etc.

#### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

NAPOLEON TOWNSHIP.  
Benjamin Tanner to Adam J. Ulrich, 32.86 acres in section 25, \$1535.  
Phoebe Sheffield to Louis Gaede, 75 acres in section 1, \$2700.

Louis Gaede to Carl Diedrich, 40 acres in section 1, \$1350.  
Mary E. Meyerholtz to Wm. F. Meyerholtz, 89 acres in section 9, \$9230.

#### PLATBOCK TOWNSHIP.

Hannah Lowery et al. to Christain W. Brubaker, 1.16 acres in section 5 and 126.95 acres in section 4, \$7046.05.

#### MARION.

Zierolf and Donnelly to Frank G. Bridenbaugh, 80 acres in section 12, \$3800.

A. Reddersen and Oede to Reddersen Bros & Oede, 1/2 acre in section 11, \$300.

John L. Rose to Catharine Hays, 20 acres in section 2, \$400.

P. P. Spangler to Franklin Zoll, 40 acres in section 31, \$2300.

#### MONROE TOWNSHIP.

E. B. Harrison to Fitch Dewey, 80 acres in section 29, \$1.

Dewey Stave Co. to John W. and Chas. M. Eberle, 80 acres in section 20, \$2950.

#### HARRISON TOWNSHIP.

Albert Reiter to Fred. D. Prentiss, 40 acres in section 18, \$1582.74.

Albert R. Cook to Wm. C. Neible, 1/2 acres in section 29, \$31.25.

Mary A. Jackson to Trustees of Creighton cemetery, 2.79 acres in section 36, \$111.00.

#### LIBERTY TOWNSHIP.

George W. Skinner to Chas. A. Blanchard, 1/2 acre in section 35, \$200.

Frederick Steward to Emlaine Steward, 20 acres in section 20, \$1125.

#### WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP.

Sarah J. DeLong to Henry A. Musgrove, 10 acres in section 16, \$300.

#### DANMUS TOWNSHIP.

Wm. Dennison to Jacob Hockman, 80 acres in section 16, \$700.

#### RICHFIELD TOWNSHIP.

Lydia Ford to Henry Klender, 60 acres in section 27, \$1.

Lucinda Shufelt to Hiram Van Campen, 30 acres in section 18, \$100.

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Lucinda Shufelt to Wm. T. Cheney, 30 acres in section 18, \$1500.

#### BARTLOW TOWNSHIP.

Claus E. Janeson to Thos. J. Wadsworth, 40 acres in section 27, \$1600.

#### DESHLER.

Victor L. Rophman to Hannah Buchanan, lot 31, \$400.

John Camomile to Bertha E. Wren, part lot 21 in Stearns's addition, \$600.

#### HAMPS.

A. Reddersen & H. Oede to Reddersen Bros & Oede, part lot 77 in Hill's addition, \$650.

Eleanor Barthe to B. H. White, part lot 81, Hill's addition, \$300.

D. F. Corio to Eleanor Barthe, lot 101 Hill's addition, \$160.

#### HOLGATE.

C. R. Andrews to Leander Kersetter, part lots 233 and 234 original plat, \$50.

#### LIBERTY CENTER.

John V. Cuff to Rebecca A. Fonceanon, lots 7 and 8 original plat, \$1.

Louisa Adams to C. Grisbiller & J. H. Spiess, lot 9 original plat, \$950.

Lydia W. Kniss to Edward Penneck, lot 67 original plat, \$150.

#### NAPOLEON CORPORATION.

Hamilton Robinson to J. B. T. Hudson, lot 195, 196 and 194 Stout's addition, \$500.

J. B. Hudson to H. Robinson, lots 34, 39, 43, 94 and 95 Randall's addition, \$800.

Sophronia Marvin to D. Meekison, part lot 118 original plat, \$500.

#### TEXAS.

W. W. Emmell to J. A. Bortel, lot 104 original plat, \$15.

#### MECLURE.

Chas. H. Gidley, receiver, to Geo. Russell, lot 118, Mfg Co. addition, \$50.

#### Same vs Mary E. Fellbaum et al. Civil action.

Same vs Ambrose McClish et al. Civil action.

Same vs McClure Creamery Co. et al. Civil action.

Same vs Lawrence A. Culver et al. Civil action.

Same vs W. D. Hill et al. Civil action.

Same vs Real Estate & Improvement Co. et al. Civil action.

Same vs Jos. Langen, Civil action.

Same vs J. Alerthner, Civil action.

Same vs Geneva Waltaire et al. Civil action.

Ann L. Overly vs Chas. McComb, Foreclosure.

#### ORDERS DRAWN ON COUNTY.

R. P. Green, witness fees, \$3.50  
A. Fenstermacher, elec. judge, 3.00  
J. Hoffman, ass't. surv., 1.88  
H. A. Fauver, election judge, 3.00  
Troupe Mfg Co., election sup., 15.00  
C. E. Burner, com. for land, 10.00  
C. Barlow, ditch work, 2.52  
H. Botzer, ass't. surv., 62  
W. Seifert, labor, 1.50  
M. Steward, ditch work, 6.25  
N. H. Rettig, ass't. surv., 3.00  
Saur & Co., interest, 80.00  
P. H. Westrick, ditch work, 1.01  
J. H. Resh, sal. for Nov. '94, 127.67  
Geo. Russell, pub. tax notice etc, 219.13  
Geo. Russell, postage stamps, 1.00  
W. O. Hudson, ditch work, 4.00  
Dewey Stave Co., com. & dam, 18.30  
W. H. Litzenberg, ditch work, 1.25  
D. Jones, labor on bridge, 46.49  
H. P. Toland, witness fees, 55  
C. H. Rousch, bridge work, 8.00  
W. O. Hudson, eng. fees, 221.81  
W. O. Hudson, eng. fees, 16.13  
W. Hanna, witness fees, 3.00  
L. Weaver, ass't. surv., 3.75  
C. C. Freese, ex. com. report, 114.00  
T. A. Conway, ex. com. report, 114.00  
Geo. Skates, witness fees, 1.30  
Chas. Evers, pub. tax rate, 200.33  
S. M. Honeck, clothing for inf., 1.25

#### THAT BOY JIM.

He was the "devil," that boy Jim. Couldn't do anything good with him. Rough and rascal, for mischief ripe. Running errands, distributing tips. Poling the neighbors on their heads. With brand new "furniture," "slugs" and "from early morning to evening dim."

From the "devil," that boy Jim!

Editor whined him—ah! no good! Head as hard as a stick of wood. Just hard out in a "Boozy!" And went right on his don't care way. But once—when the train was passing by. And the editor's child on the track—oh, my! Jim, he rushed with his little don't care right in front of the engine's head!

Child was saved, but where was Jim? With darningclaws they looked for him. While the people trembled and held their breath—"Under the engine, crushed to death!" There, in the dust and grime he lay—Jim! \* \* \* He had given his life away! Not much need of tears there for him. "He was an angel, that boy Jim!"

—Frank L. Stanton in Atlanta Constitution.

#### BRASS SIGNS IN NEW YORK.

Probably Half a Million Dollars Invested In This Sort of Ornamentation.

A stroll along Broadway early in the morning discloses an army of men engaged in polishing the brass signs that flank the entrance of the stores, and the same sight may be noted on Sixth avenue or any of the other principal business streets. Walk down one of these thoroughfares an hour later, and the rays of the sun, reflected from thousands of burnished surfaces, made bright for the day by vigorous rubbing, dance about you and dazzle your eyes. In fact, commercial New York is a city of brass signs.

The other day a South Fifth avenue maker was asked if he could give an estimate of the amount of money invested in these "standing ads." of metal.

"Well," he replied, "a door sign of brass costs from \$25 to \$150, according to its size, lettering and border designs. Of course you can get small office signs for less money, but I am speaking of those used by merchants, bankers and that class of people. Take some large stores, and you will notice they are literally bordered with brass signs at the entrances and long signs beneath the big show windows. A display of that sort represents an outlay of \$50 anywhere between \$500 and \$2,000. From the local business our firm does and from a general knowledge of how our rivals are getting on, I have no hesitancy in saying that commercial New York city has \$500,000 invested in brass signs."

#### Brasses and Bronzes of the Hindoos.

The brass and bronze trade is kept alive by the religious customs of the Hindoos, who are not allowed to use wooden and earthenware vessels freely, and brass and bronze are to them as important as glass and china to the westerners. Almost all Hindoo utensils are of brass, copper or bronze, and it is the custom to present the female portion of a Hindoo family with a valuable batterie de cuisine, made either of brass or copper, and a still existing Hindoo ceremony is that of carrying the utensils in a procession at the wedding. The result of this custom is that almost all the platters, trays, bowls, nut crackers and all brass and copper utensils are most beautifully ornamented, and there are lovely combinations of brass and copper and silver and copper. All Hindoo women used to have lovely brass caskets covered with ornamental calligraphy, which they kept their jewels, but these are fast being replaced by the vulgar English japanned dispatch box. At Sivaganga a beautiful but seldom patronized brass trade exists, which makes toys and most lifelike representations of animals, lizards, frogs, etc.—Chicago Tribune.

#### Harris' Requisition.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 26.—Governor McKinley Wednesday honored the requisition for the arrest of Harris, the promoter of business enterprises, who is under arrest in Cincinnati.

#### Drug Clerk's Fortune.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Dec. 22.—E. B. Thirkild, a poor dry goods clerk, has fallen heir to an estate valued at \$30,000, left by an uncle of Miami county, who died recently.

#### Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

Most Perfect Made.

### The State Food Commission of Ohio,

having examined all the principal brands, found the

# ROYAL Baking Powder

of Highest Efficiency and Purer than any other sold in the State.

No other powder tested was found to contain less than 10 per cent. of impurities.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 WALL ST., NEW-YORK.

### GOOD VS. BAD ROADS.

#### The Sentiment in Favor of Good Roads Growing.

Improved roads in Henry county have had a fair test, and the universal opinion is that they are a success.

But few townships in the county have taken advantage of the law which makes it possible to have good roads, but those townships that have are well satisfied with results. This being the case, the good road should not be allowed to lag, but the ball kept rolling until every prominent highway in the county is either gravelled or stoned.

An exchange speaking upon the subject of good roads, says: Citizens generally are beginning to come to a partial comprehension of the importance of good roads. They realize that their cost is but a small fraction of their value. In the matter alone of the wear and tear of vehicles, a well paved road will more than return the cost of its construction. This does not take into account the comfort of riding over a good road, the protection to horses, the great time saved in travel, the opportunity to haul larger loads and to travel upon the roads at all seasons of the year, thus enabling the farmer to market his produce at times when he could not otherwise get into the towns and the cities, times often when the markets are the best. During the summer months and at other seasons, while the common dirt roads are firm and are fit for travel, the farmer is the busiest, and he has the least time to go to market. With well paved roads he could do all his hauling to and from the city during the winter and at such other times as his farm was unfit to work. The benefits that result to every community from well paved roads are so numerous and so great that very soon they will be constructed in every section characterized by progress and thrift. The benefits that result from a system of good roads are experienced both in the city and the country.

So far but four townships in the county have voted for improved roads, namely: Napoleon, Freedom, Ridgeville and Flatrock. Other townships should follow the good work commenced by these four townships. While it is true that everybody is benefited by good roads, yet the farmers are the ones most benefited, therefore they should be the ones most interested. While some farmers have taken much interest in the building of good roads, as a class they have held back and retarded the good work. But many such have experienced a change in this respect, and now the sentiment in favor of good roads is more pronounced than ever.

Improved roads leading from the county seat into McClure, Malinta, Hamler and Deshler, would be of inestimable value to these communities, so much so that every dollar spent for good roads would be returned ten fold.

#### Give us more improved roads.

### OHIO STATE NEWS.

#### NOTES OF INTEREST TO OUR READERS IN OUR OWN STATE.

Concise and Condensed Telegraphic Reports For Several Days. An Interesting Collection of Items From Here and There Throughout the State.

DAYTON, O., Dec. 22.—The various electric traction companies have consolidated and the Cincinnati, Hamilton, Middletown and Dayton Street Railroad company incorporated. The new corporation is capitalized at \$500,000, which sum may be increased. The incorporators are: General Andrew Hickenlooper, president Cincinnati Gas company; Charles Fleischman, L. C. Weir, vice president Adams express; H. H. Hoffman, Henry E. Morshead, O. C. Barber, president Barber Watch company, and O. B. Brown of the Dayton Traction company. The road will run through a well populated district and will be in operation by June 1.

#### He Was a Detective.

FOSTORIA, O., Dec. 19.—It has been developed that Henry Reech, one of the men murdered by trains in a boxcar near

ship canal, visited this city on the state boat and left today for Waverly. They are highly pleased with the route they are now taking and pronounce it the best of any of those mentioned.

John Burns at Nelsonville.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 21.—John McBride, president of the American Federation of Labor, has received a telegram which states that John Burns, the English labor leader, will be at Nelsonville Monday next and will speak at 3 p.m. Organized labor will make efforts by excursions and other means to make the affair a success.

The Reimers Released.

WOOSTER, O., Dec. 21.—Miss Rosa Reimer and her mother, charged with arson, were acquitted Thursday. The trial lasted 10 days. These parties were charged with having caused the great Dayton fire, and Christian Reimer, father of Rosa, narrowly escaped lynching.

Brakeman Frightfully Crushed.

GALLIPOLIS, O., Dec. 20.—John Hutchison, a Columbus brakeman on the Hocking Valley road, fell from his train near Branch siding, and was crushed in a frightful manner. He can not recover.

Grandest holiday display of Banquet lamps, China ware, tops, dolls and Christmas presents ever seen in Napoleon at Bradley's.

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### NOTICE.

To Whom it May Concern:

I will charge interest on all accounts on my books that are not paid by the 1st of October, and all accounts must be settled by cash or by note October 1st, '94.

Very respectfully,

F. A. ROWE.

Ridgeville Corners, O

### We are Quoting

THE

Lowest Prices

ON

OVERCOATS

Ever known in the history of our business.

GEO. HAH